

Re: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

On October 29, 1960, [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] Flight 905 of Aerovias Q, which took off from Havana, Cuba, during the early morning of October 29, 1960, for the Isle of Pines. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] advised on October 29, 1960, that he was a passenger on the airplane in question, and that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] the uniformed military guard, CASTULO ACOSTA Y HERNANDEZ. [REDACTED] stated that about eight minutes after the airplane became airborne on its departure from Havana at 7:25 a.m. on October 29, 1960, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] made no attempt to assist the uniformed guard, who was vigorously defending himself, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised on October 29, 1960, that she was a passenger on the airplane in question, and that about ten minutes after the plane took off from Havana, Cuba, during the early morning hours that date, she observed commotion in the front of the plane and observed a person later identified as [REDACTED] forcibly remove a machine gun from the hands of a uniformed guard, and subsequently strike the uniformed guard over the head with it. [REDACTED] stated that she subsequently heard three more shots fired, but that she did not see the person who fired the shots, nor did she see the weapon from which the shots were discharged.

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[REDACTED] advised on October 29, 1960, that he was a passenger on the airplane in question and that [REDACTED] removed a Czech machine gun from the hands of an armed guard on the plane, and with the same machine gun, dealt him two blows on the top of the head. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

stated that on one occasion the uniformed guard had the muzzle of the machine gun pointing toward the passengers of the plane, had his finger on the trigger, but apparently due to lack of training, had not released the bolt back to start the firing of the weapon.

The individuals who were passengers on the airplane in question who requested political asylum in the United States are as follows:

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With reference to the foregoing persons,

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[REDACTED] ||

[REDACTED] advised they were in no way connected with the plot to commandeer

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instant airplane. All passengers and crew members who did not seek political asylum in the United States returned to Cuba during the late evening hours of October 29, 1960, and the body of uniformed guard CASTULO ACOSTA Y HERNANDEZ was also returned to Cuba.

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FROM: SAC, SAN JUAN (109-27)

FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
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by routing slip for info.
Date 11-25-60 by RDC:msAttached herewith for the Bureau are nine
copies of a letterhead memorandum dated and captioned
as above.A copy of this letterhead memorandum is
being furnished for the information of the Chicago
Office. [REDACTED]A copy of this letterhead memorandum is
being furnished to the Miami Office, because of
its general investigative interest in Cuban
activities. b7cA copy of this letterhead memorandum is
being furnished to the New York Office for its
information. [REDACTED]

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"El Mundo", a San Juan Spanish language daily newspaper, reported on November 9, 1960 that Dr. LUIS A. BARALT, ex-Dean of Philosophy and Literature and ex-Director of the University Theater of the University of Havana, stated in San Juan that the situation in Cuba "is extremely serious." This article reported that BARALT advised that the situation in Cuba requires a "rectification or modification and he does not know just how this can come about, but it has to come."

This article reported that Dr. BARALT arrived in Puerto Rico on October 30, 1960 from Havana via Miami, Florida, in order to give three lectures at the University of Puerto Rico. The article reflected that on November 4, 1960 he was to continue his trip to the United States and plans to teach literature and philosophy at the University of Chicago, where his son is a student. The article stated that Dr. BARALT had been associated with the University of Havana since 1934, but two months ago was dismissed. This article quoted Dr. BARALT as stating, "I believe that they are sorry for what they did and that they want me to return to the University of Havana, but I consider myself dismissed from there."

This article reported that Dr. BARALT stated that the Cuban Revolutionary Government has done some positive things to benefit the Cubans; such as the creation of public beaches, the creation of the National Institute of Tourism, and the Agrarian Reform. He, however, criticized the Agrarian

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Reform because it has not been legally constituted and has been carried out in an arbitrary manner without indemnity. He criticized the Cuban Government for the lack of advancement in the field of industrialization. He stated that housing, although controlled by the Government, has not advanced and that there are now less houses than before because private initiative has been paralyzed.

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ONEEnclosed are nine copies of letterhead memorandum
suitable for dissemination.

[REDACTED] mentioned in enclosed memorandum, is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] He has opposed FIDEL CASTRO
since early 1959 after CASTRO's very first anti-American
statements.

His identity is concealed by request [REDACTED]

Attached memo being classified "Confidential" since
revelation of its contents to unauthorized sources might
jeopardize members of the family of [REDACTED]
who are still in Cuba.

Copy of this memo being furnished INS locally.

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TO : A. H. Belmont

DATE: November 18, 1960

FROM : S. B. Donahoe

DATE: 2/22/05

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SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

New York source has been told that Aureliano Sanchez Arango, Cuban exile leader in U.S., will approach [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] within the next several days and offer them money in effort to have them defect from Cuban Government. We are furnishing details to State Department and Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) and are telling them we are taking no action in matter.

We have no information indicating that either of the three Cuban officials would be amenable to a defection approach. On 11/3/60 we furnished State Department information showing that [REDACTED] had subsidized The Fair Play for Cuba Committee's ad in "The New York Times" and suggested that State might want to consider persona non grata action against him.

OBSERVATIONS:

[REDACTED] who was identified as the original source, is definitely working against Castro at the present time, and we know Cuban officials in NYC have been watching her closely since they

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are aware of this fact. We do not know if she has been in contact with Sanchez Arango, but the latter, who normally resides in Miami, does make frequent trips to New York in connection with his anti-Castro activities. Sanchez Arango [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] he apparently is disgruntled, and various individuals (S) b1
apparently are aware that his approach to the three diplomats is b3
planned. Therefore, it is not believed we should get involved in this.

ACTION:

Attached is letter to State and CIA transmitting the details and advising those agencies we contemplate no action in this matter. pen*

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Attention: Chief, Counterintelligence Division

- 1 - Director of Naval Intelligence*

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Department of the Army*

Attention: Chief, Security Division

- 1 - Mr. Paul J. McNichol
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616 Walker Johnson Building
1734 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington 25, D. C.*

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J. Walter Yeagley*

NOTE: See cover memo Donahoe to Belmont, re same subject, 11-7-60,
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (109-12-210)

FROM: SAC, WFO (97-1017)

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Re WFO airtel and letterhead memo to the Bureau
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previously furnished information to

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are nine copies of
a letterhead memo and one each for Miami and New York for
information dated and captioned as above along with its
associated memo of evaluation.

The source of information referred to in the
letterhead memo is WFO source who has furnished
reliable information in the past and who voluntarily appeared
at the WFO on 11/15/60, and was interviewed in Spanish by
SAs and source
was identified by him as

His identity is being protected at the request of since
identity as a source if revealed could undoubtedly
result in his death.

advised that some of the information
he is passing on to him was obtained from

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FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

On November 15, 1960, a confidential informant,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] advised that although he is loyal to Cuba he is extremely anti-Castro.

Source advised that he had recently received information from an old and trusted friend in Cuba [REDACTED] and who has previously voiced to source his disillusionment with the Castro Government. b7D

[REDACTED] indicated to source as follows:

It was indicated that there are very stringent security precautions prevailing in Cuba and that people receive credit for exposing their friends. He stated there are many young men in the Cuban Air Force who are disgusted with the Czech, Russian and Chinese aviators, but they are unable to do anything because they are among communists. It is stated that security is so tight that one is even afraid to develop new friendships.

He stated that Fidel and Raul Castro, along with some Russian officials, recently visited San Antonio de los Baños and other strategic places. He stated that these individuals are the ones who will decide where powerful radar equipment, furnished by the Russians, will be installed. This equipment is expected to be in operation shortly.

It is further reported that serious efforts are being made to secure Canada as a bridge between Russia and Cuba, thus bypassing the United States for the purpose of trade.

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Re: Foreign Political Matters - Cuba

It is expected that important supplies and material may be obtained through Canada for construction of sugar refineries and other efforts. In this regard there exists a possibility that commissions will be set up to be sent to Canada and other places with money to obtain supplies, make purchases, etc., which will be composed of Cuban officials.

There are reports that in military warehouses there are large quantities of war material packed and ready for delivery. The purpose of this is known only to those who are in charge of this type of operation which is headed by a committee of five composed of one Russian and four Cuban officials. It is said they receive their orders from Fidel and Raul Castro and ~~Che Guevara~~.

It is further reported that living quarters are being prepared for large numbers of Russians who will arrive in Cuba the latter part of December, 1960. These Russians are presently studying Spanish and their course of study terminates at that time.

In conclusion, the Cuban Army official reports that a group of Russian Naval officers are studying the location of submarines and their bases. It is not known by source whether this study is being made by the Russians for establishment of Russian submarine bases or for the determination of the locations of American submarine bases in the Caribbean.

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SAC, New York

November 8, 1960

Director, FBI (64-45716)

**CUBAN PROPAGANDA ACTIVITIES
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Reurairtel with enclosure 10-26-60 entitled
"Foreign Political Matters - Cuba."

Bureau has disseminated summary of data made available by your sources (without disclosing identity of [REDACTED] to State, CIA, U. S. Information Agency, Department and military intelligence agencies. You should continue to accept any information volunteered by [REDACTED] or other sources concerning this matter, but you should continue to offer no advice or to make any comments indicating Bureau's approval or disapproval of [REDACTED]

No active investigation of [REDACTED] is desired at this time. However, you should be alert for any information concerning contacts between [REDACTED] and Cuban officials or agents or indicating that [REDACTED] has received support from Castro regime or its representatives [REDACTED]. In the event such data is received, immediately advise Bureau and submit your recommendations as to desirability of active investigation of [REDACTED]

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See Cover Memo Donahoe to Belmont, prepared by RDC:ms, re same subject, dated 11-7-60. fag

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DOMINICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENT
OF ILLINOIS
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REGISTRATION ACT - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
NEUTRALITY MATTERS

Re Chicago airtel to Bureau, 10/19/60, with enclosed
letterhead memo of the same date.

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Due to insufficient available information, this
office can furnish no data tending to identify the person
allegedly traveling from Havana to the United States who was
sent by RAUL CASTRO to initiate steps for the resumption of
normal U.S. - Cuban relations. It is believed possible,
however, that if further information is developed by the
Chicago Office, [REDACTED]

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It is requested that the Bureau forward the attached
enclosures to the Chicago Office for their perusal and study.

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Enclosed herewith are nine copies of a letterhead memorandum and nine copies of an evaluation memorandum.

The source of the data appearing in the letterhead memorandum is PSI [REDACTED]. The information was provided SAs [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] on 11/21/60.

The letterhead memorandum is classified confidential to protect the identity of an informant of continuing value.

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

November 25, 1960

RE: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

DECLASSIFIED BY 60290 ARC BCR/HCL/bmk
ON 2/25/05

An informant at Philadelphia, Pa., advises there is general conversation among persons arriving from Cuba to the effect that Prime Minister FIDEL CASTRO and the Revolutionary Government of Cuba may fall within a month.

The informant is in touch with relatives in Cuba and is active in anti-CASTRO activities in the Philadelphia area. He was formerly a member of the July 26th Revolutionary Movement of Philadelphia and maintains friendly relations with some persons who continue to be sympathetic toward the Revolutionary Government.

A characterization of the July 26th Revolutionary Movement appears in the Appendix hereto.

Reports received by informant indicate there is considerable dissatisfaction among persons in Cuba who heretofore supported CASTRO. Food and clothing is scarce. The properties and businesses of many Cubans have been seized. The armed forces in Cuba include persons whose sympathies are anti-CASTRO.

For instance, [REDACTED] in Cuba. Recently, their business was seized and [REDACTED] were not permitted to remain as employees in what was formerly their own business. [REDACTED] violently anti-CASTRO, has been inducted into the People's Militia. According to the informant, [REDACTED] and many others of similar sympathies will desert the People's Militia and join the opposition when the opportunity arises.

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Further, reports are that ERNESTO (CHE) GUEVARA is now in Red China and may never return to Cuba, but may

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proceed in exile to Bolivia. The informant explained that bits of information coming to his attention indicate that the government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR) has requested the Revolutionary Government of Cuba to discontinue its verbal attacks upon the United States so that the USSR may proceed on a friendly basis to establish relations and negotiate with the new administration in the United States. The informant stated that GUEVARA is a principal source of agitation against the government of the United States, and in his absence such agitation appears to have diminished.

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APPENDIX
DOCUMENTATION OF ORGANIZATION

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THE 26TH OF JULY REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT

This movement is so named from the date, July 26, 1953. On this date, FIDEL CASTRO led an unsuccessful attack against the Cuban Army at Moncado Barracks, Santiago de Cuba, Oriente Province, Cuba. Subsequently, CASTRO with 82 followers departed Mexico aboard the yacht "GRAMMA" and landed in Oriente Province about December 2, 1956, and from there waged guerrilla warfare against the Government of FULGENCIO BATISTA, then President of Cuba. On January 1, 1959, BATISTA fled Cuba and sought asylum in the Dominican Republic. FIDEL CASTRO ascended to power and is now Prime Minister of Cuba.

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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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FROM : Legat, Mexico (109-70)

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By cable dated November 3, 1960.

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are nine copies of a letterhead memorandum and one copy each for Miami and New York for information dated and captioned as above, along with its associated memorandum of evaluation.

The confidential source referred to in the letterhead memorandum is WFO confidential source, [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, and who voluntarily appeared at the WFO on 11/22/60 and was interviewed in Spanish by SAs [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Source was identified by him as [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] requested [REDACTED] identity be protected because he still resides in Cuba.

The attached letterhead memorandum is classified "Confidential" as it might tend to identify the source of continuing value and compromise future effectiveness thereof.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

November 25, 1960

FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

On November 22, 1960, a confidential informant, who is a former resident of Cuba, indicated he recently received word from an old friend in Cuba, who is anti-Castro and who advised him that he had recently received word from friends in the United States concerning Cuban publications, which are extremely anti-United States, such as "Bohemia" and "Revelucion." He wondered why the United States Government permitted the Cuban Government to send these periodicals, which he stated are all lies, to be sold freely in the United States when on the other hand the Cubans were not allowed to receive printed news in the form of magazines and newspapers in Cuba from the United States. This friend also states that the money received from these publications only allows Castro to purchase more war material and spread communism to other parts of Latin America. In conclusion it is stated that the United States Government should be told of the above and that the people of Cuba need to be told the truth as printed in the American Press.

It is to be noted that the above-mentioned magazine, "Bohemia," and newspaper, "Revelucion," as well as "IRNA," a Cuban magazine publication of the Cuban Agrarian Reform, can be readily purchased at an outdoor newsstand located at 14th and Irving Street, N.W., and a Spanish grocery store, La Sevillana, Incorporated, 2469 18th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

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Re: [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a letterhead memorandum (LHM) dated 11/25/60, captioned "Information Concerning [REDACTED]". One copy of this LHM is being furnished to the [REDACTED] for their information.

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Very truly yours,
[REDACTED] - Director, FBI

1 - INFORMATION CONCERNING [REDACTED]
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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-107)

FROM : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-107)

RE: [REDACTED]

DATE: 11/29/60

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[REDACTED] will be further interviewed for approximately 8 hours on 11/30/60, and it is expected that many additional interviews will be required to develop all of the information in his possession. Further efforts will be made to get whatever other details he might know concerning matters set forth in attached memorandum. However, in view of the importance of the information, it is felt that the memorandum should be sent at this time even though the information may be incomplete. b7c/o

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] He requested that his identity be fully protected.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York
November 29, 1960

Re: Foreign Political Matters -
Dominican Republic

Reference is made to the memorandum dated and
captioned as above.

Insufficient contact has been had with [REDACTED]
to determine the reliability of his information. He is an
individual who claims to have contacts with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI /109-12-210/ AND SAC, TAMPA /105-57/
FROM SAC, MIAMI /105-3161/ 2 P

REPORTED CUBAN G DASH TWO AGENTS IN AMERICAN EMBASSY,
HAVANA, CUBA. FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS DASH CUBA.

., POSSIBLE DESERTER. RE MIAMI RADIOGRAM
TO BUREAU DATED NOV. TWENTY NINE, LAST. CAPTIONED UNSUB.,
SUSPECTED CUBAN G DASH TWO AGENT OPERATING IN MIAMI AREA.

DELMAN/KAREK.

IS DASH CUBA, AND TAMPA LETTER TO BUREAU DATED NOV.
NINETEEN, LAST, CAPTIONED AS ABOVE.

INTERVIEWED NOV. THIRTY, INSTANT, BUT DID NOT FURNISH
ANY INFORMATION IN ADDITION TO THAT SET FORTH IN TAMPA
REFERENCED LETTER. STATED THAT

AND IS A

PERSON OF ABSOLUTE TRUST AND CONFIDENCE, HAS NO
INFORMATION REGARDING ONE WHO ALLEGEDLY IS A

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CUBAN G DASH TWO AGENT AT U. S. EMBASSY, HAVANA. CHECK OF
DEC. FIFTY NINE TELEPHONE DIRECTORY OF PERSONNEL ASSIGNED
TO U. S. EMBASSY, HAVANA, CUBA, FAILS TO DISCLOSE THE NAME
[REDACTED] MIAMI FILES REFLECT THAT ONE [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CASE RUC-D SEPT. SIXTEEN,
FIFTY FOUR, INASMUCH AS SUBJECT RESIDED IN CUBA. MIAMI
OFFICE TO DATE UNSUCCESSFUL IN CONTACTING [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

MIAMI WILL CONTINUE EFFORTS TO CONTACT [REDACTED] AND KEEP
BUREAU AND TAMPA OFFICE ADVISED.

~~CORRECTION PAGE ONE LINE FIVE SHOULD READ "SUSPECTED CUBAN G DASH TWO
AGENT OPERATING IN MIAMI AREA."~~

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FROM: SAC, WFO (97-1017)

DATE: 2/25/05

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**FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
 IS - CUBA**

Re WFO airtel and letterhead memo dated 9/26/60,
 and captioned [REDACTED] IS - CUBA." (S)

Enclosed for Bureau are 9 copies of a letterhead
 memo dated and captioned as above.

The informants mentioned in enclosed letterhead
 memo are as follows:

[REDACTED] is [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] (S)

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Memorandum

1 - Parsons
 1 - Belmont
 1 - Donahoe
 1 - W. C. Sullivan
 1 - Bland
 1 - Cotter

TO : A. H. Belmont

DATE: November 21, 1960

FROM : S. B. Donahoe

SUBJECT: "CUBA - ANATOMY OF A REVOLUTION"
 BOOK REVIEW

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"Cuba - Anatomy of a Revolution," written by Leo Huberman and Paul M. Sweezy, and recently published by the Monthly Review Press, New York City, has been reviewed by Nationalities Intelligence Section.

This book is extremely favorable toward the Cuban revolution and toward the aims and activities of the Castro regime. The authors briefly portray the plight of Cuban people under the Batista regime and its predecessors despite fact Cuba is endowed with substantial natural resources. The book blames this situation chiefly on foreign economic control, particularly U. S., of Cuba and charges that the corrupt military dictatorships which have ruled Cuba for the past half century have been supported and condoned by U. S. business interests which were realizing enormous profits in Cuba.

Huberman and Sweezy trace the course of Castro's revolutionary July 26 Movement as well as developments in Cuba during the first 18 months of Castro's regime. They argue that the Castro revolution has been misunderstood in the U. S. as well as among Cuban middle classes. According to Huberman and Sweezy, the Cuban revolution has always been more radical than was realized either by the American people or by the Cuban middle classes. The authors point out that the extremely radical character of the Castro movement was finally recognized only after Castro put into effect his sweeping agrarian reform laws in May, 1959, and it was at this point that Castro lost support in U. S. and among Cuban moderates, including some of his own former July 26 followers.

Huberman and Sweezy believe that Castro will be able to withstand any economic or political pressures exerted by the U. S. and, in fact, that Castro can survive all attacks short of a full-scale military attack by U. S. Armed Forces. Although they acknowledge that the Communist Party of Cuba (admittedly late comer in supporting Castro) is enthusiastic backer of his regime and is being increasingly relied on by Castro, Huberman and Sweezy deny the Castro regime is communist dominated. They argue, in fact, that the Cuban revolution is the first socialist revolution in history engineered by noncommunists.

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1 - 100-346046 (Sweezy)
 1 - 100-8436 (Huberman)
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Memorandum Donahoe to Belmont
Re: "CUBA - ANATOMY OF A REVOLUTION"
109-12-210

The communist weekly publication, "^{U.S.}~~The~~ Worker," carried review of this book 8/21/60 which was generally favorable but which sharply criticized the book for its failure to give due credit to the communists for their support of Castro.

We have main files on Huberman and Sweezy. Both are in the Reserve Index and have been affiliated in the past with a variety of communist-front organizations, and both are avowed socialists.

ACTION:

This is for information. A copy of "Cuba-Anatomy of a Revolution" is available in the Bureau library.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (109-12-210) 855-

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (109-112)

SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS-CUBA
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Attached hereto are nine copies of a memorandum dated and captioned as above.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York
December 1, 1960

Re: Foreign Political Matters - Cuba

On November 30, 1960, [REDACTED] advised that he was told by several of his sources of information who recently arrived from Havana, Cuba, that in early November 1960 about 75 students traveled via air to Mexico then on to Venezuela and instigated the revolts now occurring in Caracas, Venezuela. [REDACTED] was told that the trip was made by the students in small groups composed of up to ten individuals.

[REDACTED] declined to identify his sources but said they are involved in Cuban counter-revolutionary activities within Cuba. He stated his sources were unable to obtain any names or identifying information on the students involved.

[REDACTED] and has various contacts among Cubans in New York.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (109-13)

RE: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

Re JK Airtel 11/1/60. 109-13-210-2431

Transmitted herewith to the Bureau are the original and eight copies of a letterhead memo captioned "Purchase of Tobacco Supplies in United States By Cuban Government," containing information which was furnished to SA [REDACTED] on 11/30/60.

This memo is not being disseminated locally as the information contained therein was furnished to SA [REDACTED] on a confidential basis by [REDACTED]

Copies of enclosed memo are being furnished to the Atlanta, Albuquerque, Miami, Tampa and WFO, as those offices may receive some inquiry regarding this matter.

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TO : Director, FBI (109-12-210)

DATE: 12/2/60

FROM : Legat, Mexico (109-70)

SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
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Enclosed herewith and 7 copies of a letterhead memorandum dated and captioned as above and 7 copies of a memorandum evaluating the sources utilized.

REFERENCE

Legat, Mexico letter, 11/23/60.

ADMINISTRATIVE

The indices of the Mexico City office contained no references to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] b7C

SOURCES

Careful consideration has been given to the sources concealed and T symbols were utilized only in those instances where the identity of the source must be concealed.

Identity of Source

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Enclosed letterhead memorandum has been classified Confidential in order to protect the identity of a confidential source operating in the foreign field.

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At Toronto and Montreal, Canada

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

December 2, 1960

Re: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS -
CUBA

Reference is made to the memorandum dated and
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[REDACTED] mentioned in referenced memorandum, has furnished
reliable information in the past.

[REDACTED] mentioned in referenced memorandum, [REDACTED]
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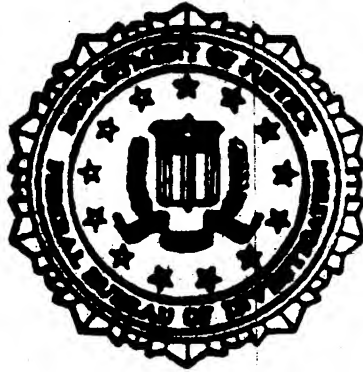
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To: Office of Security
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From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
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WFO source of information, furnished the information set forth in the enclosed letterhead memorandum to SA [redacted] on 12/6/60. This information was contained in a letter.

[redacted] has received information in the past. It was the assumption of [redacted] that [redacted] obtained the information which he furnished from [redacted] since they are in a better position to have obtained it.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
December 8, 1960

FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTER - CUBA
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

On December 6, 1960, a confidential informant, who is a former resident of Cuba, advised that he had recently received the information set forth below from a long-time friend in Cuba who is acquainted with individuals in a position to have knowledge of such matters.

The following items relating to conditions in Cuba are noted:

- (1) Conditions are going from bad to worse and, according to confidential information in possession of the informant's source, "something big" is being prepared against the American Embassy (details not given). The Americans are blamed for everything bad that happens, and the communists are almost in total control.
- (2) "Contributions" are being collected by force in behalf of the acquisition of a petroleum fleet.
- (3) Bombs are being set off "every minute" and those who are caught placing them are liquidated without judicial procedure.
- (4) Some 150 to 200 Negroes from Harlem are expected to come to Cuba and will be quartered at the Havana Libre, formerly the Havana Hilton. A 25 cent contribution is being collected from Cubans in their behalf. They are to be brain-washed and filled with hatred.

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RE: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTER - CUBA

(5) The National Bank of Cuba is going to change its paper and silver money. The policies of the bank are under Russian direction.

(6) Radar Stations and a special plant are already being prepared to prevent attack and to communicate with special rockets which the Russians will soon launch into space. These allegedly have cameras and television and some believe that these satellites will soon carry humans.

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Washington 25, D. C.
December 8, 1960

Title FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTER - CUBA

Character INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

Reference Memorandum dated and captioned
as above.

All sources (except any listed below) used in referenced
communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Director, FBI (109-12-210)

DATE: 12-7-60

FROM : Legal Attaché, Madrid (109-16)

DATE: 2/15/65

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SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
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Re Madrid letter and letterhead memorandum dated 11-17-60.

Attached are nine copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth additional information on this subject as well as nine copies of an evaluation memorandum.

The Madrid Office will continue to follow this matter and the Bureau will be advised.

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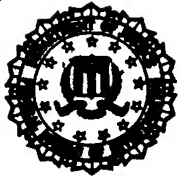
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In connection with the memorandum dated December 7, 1960 on the above subject matter, the second confidential source abroad mentioned therein is one with whom sufficient contact has not been had to establish reliability.

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In line with instructions set forth in Bureau airtel 12/2/60, all information furnished by [REDACTED] at this time should be given a "Secret" classification if and when disseminated. b7c/D

The following is the results of the interview of [REDACTED] on the morning of 12/6/60.

[REDACTED] furnished the following information which was taken by Stenographer [REDACTED] b7c

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In view of the subject's position [REDACTED] and the fact that unauthorized disclosure of the information in this airtel may result in the identification of the source, who represents good double agent potential, and could possibly compromise his future effectiveness, the dissemination of any information that he furnishes should be classified "Secret". (u) b7C/D

It should be noted that [REDACTED] completed a general account of his personal activities on the afternoon of 12/6/60. It is expected that the interview of [REDACTED] will resume on the morning of 12/8/60, and according to his own estimate may continue for as long as two or two and a half months. He states that he is beginning to recall events in addition to the ones that he has described during his running account to date. From now on he will be interviewed in detail concerning specific events and the information he furnishes will be submitted in a form suitable for dissemination, rather than in the form previously furnished. It is now felt that the point has been reached where the material that he will furnish can be submitted in a form suitable for dissemination. (u)

[REDACTED] dictated the following information to Stenographer, [REDACTED]

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Attached hereto are eleven copies of a letterhead memorandum containing information about discussions among ISIDORE GIBBY NEEDLEMAN and HARRY MAGDOFF concerning the possibility of distributing in the US a weekly newspaper to be published in Cuba.

The information was obtained by [redacted] on 11/28/60 and [redacted] on 12/4/60. (u)

The following sources have been used in the characterizations of the individuals named:

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[ISIDORE GIBBY NEEDLEMAN: [REDACTED]
and NY 694-S*.] (S)(u)

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The memorandum has been classified "Confidential" inasmuch as it contains information furnished by extremely sensitive sources.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Federal Bureau of Investigation
New York, New York
December 6, 1960

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Re: Foreign Political
Matters - Cuba] (CM)

On November 28, 1960, a confidential source advised that [REDACTED] discussed with Isidore Gibby Needleman the possibility of forming a sort of "institute" which would promote travel to Cuba and import a newspaper to be distributed in the United States. [REDACTED] spoke of a sixteen page weekly publication which would be available to him without charge and which he expected to sell at ten cents a copy. He said some of the profit from the sale of the paper would be paid to the Cuban government. (S)(u)

Needleman cautioned [REDACTED] that the Foreign Assets Control Act might be involved if money were paid to Cuba. He recommended forming a corporation and registering under the Foreign Agents Registration Act. (S)(u)

[REDACTED] revealed that the "Foreign Ministry" had asked him to work on this project. He said he wanted to have all plans complete within two weeks. (S)(u)

On December 4, 1960, another confidential source reported that [REDACTED] following a conference with [REDACTED] requested Needleman to arrange a meeting of a few people who would consider the matter of financial support for the plan. [REDACTED] recommended that only the money angle be discussed at such a meeting. He emphasized that [REDACTED] was due to return (to Cuba) in another week and (S)(u)

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should be in a position to report some kind of progress. (S) (u)

According to the source, Needleman subsequently advised Harry Magdoff that [redacted] had a project involving the publication of a newspaper in English in Cuba, to be distributed in the United States. Needleman asked Magdoff to be one of a group that would figure out how to raise five thousand dollars in order to get the project off the ground. He felt that the scheme would later become self-sustaining on the basis of a circulation of ten thousand copies. (S) (u)

Magdoff objected that the plan did not make sense financially and had no appeal for contributors, though it was a good and valuable thing to undertake. (S) (u) b7C

Needleman stated, however, that [redacted] felt this matter should be pushed and should be considered immediately, as [redacted] was going back at the end of the week. (S) (u)

Concerning [redacted] a confidential source advised in January, 1959, that this individual was [redacted] (S) (u)

During recent years confidential sources have advised that Needleman was formerly employed by the Amtorg Trading Corporation, the registered Russian trade agency in the United States, in a legal capacity and continues to represent this agency from time to time. He has represented former and current members of the Communist Party before Congressional Committees and in the courts, and has served as a custodian of Communist Party funds. He has described himself as favoring strict adherence to Marxist-Leninist doctrines and has actively participated in the solicitation of a fund to promote Marxist study and research. (S) (u) b7C

In March, 1958, another confidential source advised that Needleman has acted as a Soviet espionage agent. (S) (u)

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In July, 1948, Elizabeth T. Bentley, a former Communist Party courier and Soviet espionage agent, testified before the Committee on the Un-American Activities, United States House of Representatives, that Harry Magdoff was a member of a Soviet espionage group which was active in Washington, D. C., in the early 1940's.

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Re NY airtel reflecting results of interview of
on the morning of 12/3/60.

The following is an account of interview
during the afternoon of 12/3/60 which interview was conducted
from approximately 12:15 PM to 4:00 PM by SAS
and in Room 1224, Prince
George Hotel, NYC, which room has been obtained for the purpose
of conducting the continuous interview of

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NY [REDACTED]

The NYO realizes that there may be some confusion in certain portions of the following account, caused by [REDACTED] phrases and lack of correct usage of the English language. Every effort is being made to expedite the interview regarding his account of his personal activities, and efforts are being made to restrain him from going into great detail in certain particulars, with the thought in mind that detailed information, under separate and distinct captions, will be obtained during the continuing interview. [REDACTED] himself, wishes to relate his activities in his own way, until the point is reached when [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] It is expected that this phase of the interview will be concluded by about 12/8/60. After that time, details will be obtained under separate captions, such as [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] At that time, memoranda suitable for dissemination will be submitted under appropriate captions. (S)(u)

In view of the subject's position [REDACTED] and the fact that unauthorized disclosure of the information in this airtel may result in the identification of the source who represents good double agent potential and could possibly compromise his future effectiveness, the dissemination of any information that he furnishes should be classified "Secret." (S)(u)

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NY [REDACTED]

An extra copy of this airtel is designated for the Bureau for transmittal to the Legat, Mexico City.

Under no circumstances should [REDACTED] identity be disclosed. He can be characterized as a person with whom insufficient contact has been had to determine the reliability of this information but who claims to have contacts [REDACTED] (u)

The following information was dictated by [REDACTED] to Stenographer [REDACTED] b7C/D

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DATE 2/19/05 BY 60421 TDC/ML/SLW
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI [REDACTED]
FROM: SAC, CHICAGO [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: [REDACTED] aka.
IS - CUBA
REGISTRATION ACT - CUBA
FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

Re Chicago airtel to Bureau 11/28/60; Miami
teletype to Bureau, 12/2/60; Bureau airtel to Chicago,
12/2/60, and Chicago teletype to Bureau 12/2/60.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original
and five copies of a letterhead memorandum in the above
captioned matters suitable for dissemination.

[REDACTED] whose
identity is being concealed at his request.

[REDACTED] furnished the information set forth
in the attached letterhead memorandum to the [REDACTED]
and [REDACTED] on 12/2/60.

- ④ - Bureau (Enc. 6)(RM)
- ① - 100-12-210 (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA)
- 2 - Miami (Enc. 2)(RM)
- 2 - [REDACTED]
- 2 - Chicago [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]
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On the occasion of his interview with Bureau Agents on 12/3/68, [redacted] indicated he interviewed agents that [redacted] in contacting [redacted] on 12/3/68 indicated that he believed he was being closely surveilled and for this reason he was reluctant to meet his "contact". [redacted] stated that [redacted] is always very surveillance conscious. [redacted] indicated that he has no reason to doubt [redacted] statements regarding [redacted] is stated that he believes [redacted] is stilling the complete truth regarding his gun activities. [redacted] stated, however, that [redacted] is so anxious to bring about resumption of normal U. S. - [redacted] relations that he [redacted] "may be imagining that things are progressing as well as he believes them to be". He stated, however, he does not feel that [redacted] would be deliberately dishonest with him [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he is not so sure that matters are progressing as well as [redacted] indicated. He stated that he is still assuming the position of "wait and see" and stated that he is not taking any steps "to his end of the line" until he has some written proof. He further stated that [redacted]

[redacted] further stated that [redacted] is contacting [redacted] on 12/3/68 indicated to [redacted] that [redacted]

08 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7c/D

[REDACTED]

It is felt that [REDACTED] could well be in contact with ROBERT KENNEDY, brother of President-elect JOHN F. KENNEDY, as indicated by [REDACTED] The Chicago Office still

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feels as already indicated in referenced Chicago teletype to the Bureau that it would be unwise to directly question [REDACTED] at this time regarding any efforts he might be making [REDACTED]

Careful consideration has been given to the use of a T symbol and T symbol was used in that instance where it was felt necessary to protect the identity of the source.

The attached letterhead memorandum is being classified confidential in view of the fact that it contains information from a source of possible continuing value; the disclosure of which information may tend to reveal the identity of the source.

LEADS

MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA. Will attempt to verify [REDACTED] will SAC interview [REDACTED] on his return to the U. S.

CHICAGO

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. Will maintain contact with [REDACTED]

Request of the Bureau

The Bureau may desire to attempt to determine, through liaison with representatives of the Incoming Democratic Administration, if Democratic officials have considered themselves as being [REDACTED] to contacts with [REDACTED] as indicated by [REDACTED] in his interview with Bureau Agents.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION **CONFIDENTIAL**

Chicago, Illinois
December 6, 1960

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ON 2/14/05
#392274

[REDACTED]
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FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

[REDACTED] referred to hereinafter as an individual with whom there has been insufficient contact to determine his reliability, but who is in a position to obtain information concerning Cuba and other Latin American countries.

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Via AIRTEL

DATE: 2/14/95

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#392276

To : DIRECTOR, FBI

From : SAC, NEW YORK

Subject: [REDACTED] aka

IS - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

REGISTRATION ACT - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

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Re NY airtel, 12/2/60, reflecting results of inter-
view of [REDACTED] on 11/30/60.

[REDACTED] was interviewed for approximately six hours
on 12/2/60 by SAs [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] at Room 1224, Prince George Hotel, 14
East 28th Street, NYC, which room has been obtained for the
purpose of conducting the continuous interview of [REDACTED]

It is noted that in the following account,
[REDACTED] stated that he typed the memo concerning [REDACTED]

as previously set forth in attachment to NY airtel to Bureau,
dated 11/29/60, captioned [REDACTED] MISC-IC
(NATIONALITIES INTELLIGENCE). [REDACTED] remarked at this time
that he now definitely recalls it was [REDACTED] that (u)

- (5) - Bureau [REDACTED] (RM)
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NY [REDACTED]

this took place because [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (u)

Under no circumstances should [REDACTED] identity be disclosed. He can be characterized as a person with whom insufficient contact has been had to determine the reliability of his information but who claims to have contacts [REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED] furnished the following information.

[REDACTED]

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DATE: 12/7/60

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Via AIRTEL _____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI [REDACTED]

DATE: 2/14/85

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FROM: SAC, NEW YORK [REDACTED]

#39226

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] aka

IS - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC;
RA - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

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ReNYairtels 12/5/60, reflecting results of
interview of [REDACTED] on 12/3/60.

[REDACTED] was interviewed during the morning of 12/5/60,
by SAS [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] at Room 1224, Prince George Hotel, 14 East 25th
Street, NYC, which room has been obtained for the purpose
of conducting the continuing interview of [REDACTED]

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- 1 - New York [(134-new) [REDACTED] (INV.)] (u)

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NY [REDACTED]

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In the event of dissemination of any of [REDACTED] information, it should be bore in mind that Bureau airtel 12/2/60, requested that all such information be classified "Secret". X(u)

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Under no circumstances should the subject's identity be disclosed. He can be characterized as a person with whom insufficient contact has been had to determine the reliability of his information, but who claims to have contacts [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] (u) dictated the following information to ateno, [REDACTED] (u)

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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Act of 1947 and the
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DATE 2/14/85 BY AUC 60290CE/0415W
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI [REDACTED] (100-12-210)
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO [REDACTED] (100-27)
SUBJECT: [REDACTED], aka
IS - CUBA
REGISTRATION ACT - CUBA
FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

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Re Chicago teletype to the Bureau dated 12/22/60
captioned as above; and Bureau airtel to Miami dated 10/24/60
captioned [REDACTED] aka; IS - CUBA; REGISTRATION
ACT - CUBA.

Enclosed herewith to the Bureau are the original
and five copies of a letterhead memorandum in the above
captioned matters suitable for dissemination.

[REDACTED] in [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
identity is being concealed at his request. [REDACTED] fur-
nished the information set forth in the attached letterhead
memorandum to SA [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] on
10/22/60 and 11/24/60.

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MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA. Will SACB interview [REDACTED]

The information in the attached letterhead memorandum expressly pinpoints [REDACTED] as the source thereof. Therefore, it is strongly recommended that in any interview of [REDACTED] the interview be conducted simply as an extension of prior interviews with [REDACTED] leaving it to [REDACTED] to bring up the subject of [REDACTED]. It is suggested that in the interview, unless first brought up by [REDACTED], no allusions be made to such specifics in the attached letterhead memorandum as [REDACTED].

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Chicago, Illinois

November 28, 1960

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ON 2/14/95
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[REDACTED] referred to hereinafter, is an individual with whom there has been insufficient contact to determine his reliability, but who is in a position to obtain information concerning Cuba and other Latin American countries.

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Director, FBI

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11/29/60

Legat, Rio de Janeiro per OGA letter dated 5/8/66

COMMUNIST PARTY OF CUBA
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ReRiolet 9/28/60.

In Brazil, Argentina, and Uruguay the Communist Parties continue to press the "Cuba-si, Yankee-no!" theme to its fullest extent.

[REDACTED]

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On October 18, 1960, CS [REDACTED] Montevideo, Uruguay, advised that the local Communists aided by Cuban individuals and officials are continuing their campaign to unify all factions possible in favor of Cuba and against the U. S. "imperialism" and that he had received reports that the Communists are jubilant over the successes they have had. [REDACTED] stated that the Cuban Ambassador in Uruguay has continued to openly participate in these activities although to a lesser degree than formerly. [REDACTED] stated that as of that date no further action had been taken in connection with declaring the Cuban Ambassador "persona non grata." (u)

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- 4 - Bureau
- 6 - Rio de Janeiro [REDACTED]

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On November 21, 1960, [REDACTED] advised Legat that on that day [REDACTED] had seized 35,000 copies of a Cuban Government publication entitled "Obra Revolucionaria" (Revolutionary Work), which had been addressed to the Cuban Embassy and to a number of individuals and firms associated in Brazil with the illegal Communist Party. He advised that the publication had arrived by plane from Havana and was confiscated on the basis of its alleged subversive character. It was noted that the Cuban Embassy publicly denied that the publication was subversive and explained that it consisted merely of a reproduction of FIDEL CASTRO's speech of September 2, 1960, at the United Nations General Assembly. [REDACTED] advised that these copies addressed to the Cuban Embassy in Rio de Janeiro had been allowed to pass.

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CS [REDACTED] has previously reported that the Cuban Cultural Attache and Assistant Attaches in Montevideo were actively participating in Cuban propaganda activities [REDACTED]

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No dissemination of the foregoing information has been made by Legat as the information is already available to the appropriate officials of the Embassies in the three countries covered by the Rio Office.

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Date: 12/7/60

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DATE: 2/11/05

From : SAC, NEW YORK

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#39222

Subject: [REDACTED] aka
INTERNAL SECURITY - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
REGISTRATION ACT - DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Re NY airtel reflecting results of interview of
[REDACTED] on morning of 12/5/60.

The following is the results of the interview of
[REDACTED] during the afternoon of 12/5/60 which was conducted
by SAS [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] in Room 1224, Prince George Hotel, 14 East 28th
Street, NYC, which room has been obtained for the purpose
of conducting a continuous interview of [REDACTED]

Under no circumstances should [REDACTED] identity
be disclosed. He can be characterized as a person with whom
insufficient contact has been had to determine the reliability
of his information but who claims to have contacts [REDACTED]

6 - Bureau [REDACTED] (RM)
(1) - 109-12-210 (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA)
(1) - 109-12-211 (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - DR)

1 - Miami (Info) (RM)
1 - San Juan (Info) (RM)
1 - Washington Field (Info) (RM)
5 - New York [REDACTED]

(1) - 109-112 (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA)
(1) - 109-107 (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - DR)
(1) - 134-NEW [REDACTED] (INV)

EJD/SDE/HVE/mkr

Approved (15)

Sent

M Per

730 Special Agent in Charge

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[REDACTED] (S) dictated the following information to
Stenographer [REDACTED]

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (~~109-12-211~~)
FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (109-107)
SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS-DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
INTERNAL SECURITY-DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Transmitted herewith are 12 copies of memoranda concerning the captioned matter as well as 12 copies of an informant evaluation memorandum.

~~_____~~ is ~~_____~~ subject of Bufile ~~_____~~ who was interviewed on 12/13/60, by SAs ~~_____~~ and ~~_____~~ in Room 615, Roger Williams Hotel, 28 East 31st Street, NYC.

- 6-Bureau (~~109-12-211~~) (Encls. 24) (RM)
(~~1-109-384~~) (ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES)
(~~1-109-12-210~~) (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS-CUBA)
(~~1-105-new~~) (DOMINICAN INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES)
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1-New York ~~_____~~ (Attach. 2)
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In view of subject's position [REDACTED] and the fact that unauthorized disclosure of the information in referenced memoranda may result in the identification of the source who represents good double agent potential, and could possibly compromise his future effectiveness, this memoranda has been classified "Secret".

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York
December 16, 1960

Re: Foreign Political Matters
Dominican Republic

On December 13, 1960, [REDACTED] advised
the following:

During the latter part of September, 1960,

[REDACTED]
stated that there were more than five thousand Cubans and
men of other nationalities in Haiti where they were being
trained for the invasion of Cuba by United States Marines.

[REDACTED]
and the United States Government, were behind
this new liberation Army being trained in Haiti. [REDACTED]
stated he understands that the United States was giving
financial support to this operation and had an excess of
50 million dollars set aside for this operation.

[REDACTED] stated he first heard of this
information through a Dominican businessman, name unknown,
who went to Haiti, with money and clothing for two Cubans

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Re: Foreign Political Matters

[REDACTED] stated that he cannot be certain, however, it is his opinion that she was sent to Haiti to obtain information concerning the United States Marines in Haiti. [REDACTED] described [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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New York, New York
December 16, 1960

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Re: Foreign Political Matters -
Dominican Republic

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Washington 25, D. C.

December 14, 1960

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Date 12/19/60.....

To

☒ Director

FOREIGN POLITICAL

FILE # MATTERS - CUBA

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Att.

Title BUFILE: 109-12-210

☐ SAC

☐ ASAC

☐ Supv.

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ReBulet to Legat, Paris, 11/12/59,

☐ SE

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ACTION DESIRED

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Acknowledge

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Open Case

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Assign.....Reassign.....

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Prepare lead cards

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Bring file

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Prepare tickler

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Call me

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Recharge serials

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Leads need attention

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Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

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Ottawa

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66 DEC 30 1960

Date 1-6-61

To

☒ Director

BUFILE # 109-12-210

Att.

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ACTION DESIRED

☐ Acknowledge #34222

☐ Assign.....Reassign.....

☐ Bring file

☐ Call me

☐ Correct

☐ Deadline.....

☐ Deadline passed

☐ Delinquent

☐ Discontinue

☐ Expedite

☐ File

☐ For information

☐ Initial & return

☐ Leads need attention

☐ Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

☐ Open Case

☐ Prepare lead cards

☐ Prepare tickler

☐ Recharge serials

☐ Return assignment card

☐ Return file

☐ Return serials

☐ Search and return

☐ See me

☐ Send Serials.....

to

☐ Submit new charge-out

☐ Submit report by

☐ Type

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : Director, FBI (109-12-210)

DATE: 12/14/60

FROM : Legat, Mexico (109-70)

DATE: 1/4/65

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There are enclosed seven copies of the report of
SA [redacted] dated 12/14/60 at Mexico, D. F.,
together with seven copies of a memorandum evaluating the
sources utilized.

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REFERENCE

Legat, Mexico, letter 12/2/60.

SOURCE

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Legat, Mexico, operating in the foreign field.

LEAD

Copy to Ottawa
by routing slip for
☐ info ☒ action
date 1/3/61
by ECB: jps

MEXICO CITY

At Mexico, D. F.

Will follow and report general Cuban activities
in Mexico.

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4 - Bureau (Encls. 14)
(2 - Ottawa)

2 - Mexico City (cc: [redacted])

JTG:bs
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The confidential source stated that from Havana the above mentioned individuals were going to Prague, Czechoslovakia, and probably would continue on to the Soviet Union.

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referenced memorandum has furnished reliable information
in the past.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (109-12-2)

DATE: 12/15/60

FROM : Legat, Mexico (109-70)

DATE: 2/11/65

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SOURCE

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LEAD

MEXICO CITY

At Mexico, D. F.

Will follow and report general Cuban activities in Mexico.

2 - Bureau (Encls. 10)

2 - Mexico City (cc: [REDACTED])

JTG:bs

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FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (109-112)

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IS - CUBA

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██████████ mentioned in enclosed memorandum, is ██████████

DATE: 2/11/15

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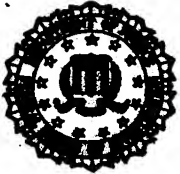
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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

New York, New York
December 22, 1960

Re: Foreign Political Matters-
Cuba

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dated and captioned as above.

[REDACTED] mentioned in referenced memorandum,
is an informant who has furnished reliable information
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12-22-60

CABLEGRAM

EX-105 TO LEGAL ATTACHE MEXICO CITY
FROM DIRECTOR FBI

DATE 2/10/05 BY AUC 60290 AG/100150
#392226

1-Foreign Liaison Unit (detached)

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Mexico, has an official in Mexico to whom data classified "Confidential" can be passed, he should do so. /

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CABLEGRAM TO LEGAL ATTACHE, MEXICO CITY
RE: RELEASE OF CLASSIFIED DEFENSE INFORMATION TO FOREIGN
GOVERNMENTS - LIAISON

NOTE ON YELLOW CONTINUED:

Mexico airtel 12-6-60 advised that since Mexico Office has not passed classified defense information to Mexican agencies or representatives in the past they believed the pertinent data set forth in the Washington Field memorandum should be furnished to [REDACTED] for secure transmittal [REDACTED] for appropriate action and such steps would be taken unless advised to the contrary. [REDACTED] is a reliable informant of the Mexico City Office [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] He is a channel through which confidential high-level information is obtained and [REDACTED] is aware of [REDACTED] contacts with the Legal Attache.

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TO: Director, FBI (109-12-210)
 FROM: *[Signature]* Legat, Mexico (109-70)
 SUBJECT: FOREIGN PODITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
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DATE 2/11/05 BY 60629 DCE/KML/STW
 #342226

Rebulet 11/14/60 enclosing WFO airtel and
 memorandum of 11/2/60.

Reference is also made to my letter of 1/16/59
 and Bulet of 1/29/59, both entitled "RELEASE OF CLASSIFIED
 DEFENSE INFORMATION TO FOREIGN LIAISON GOVERNMENTS -
 LIAISON".

In view of the fact that this office has no
 occasion to pass classified defense information to Mexican
 agencies or representatives, the following is suggested:

This office will pass pertinent data contained
 in referenced memorandum of 11/2/60 to [REDACTED] for secure
 transmittal [REDACTED] for
 appropriate action, UACB.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (109-12-210)

FROM: SAC, WFO (97-1017)

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FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS-CUBA
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Enclosed are nine copies of a letterhead memo,
dated and captioned as above, containing information from

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (109-12-210)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (109-112)

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HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIEDDATE 7/19/82 BY SP6/BJR/CLP/CLW
#92126SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
IS - CUBA

Enclosed herewith for the information of the Bureau are 11 copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth information concerning above-captioned subject, and 11 copies of a reliability memorandum setting forth the reliability of the informant used.

mentioned in enclosed memorandum, is [redacted] who is under development as a PSI.

identified [redacted] who are ready to dere [redacted] mentioned on page 1 of enclosed memorandum, as [redacted] and [redacted]

- ③ - Bureau (109-12-210) (Encls. 22) (RM)
1 - Miami (105-1747) (Encls. 2) (Info) (RM)
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Date 2-27-60 by [redacted]

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Approved: 62 JAN 5 1961
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York

December 22, 1960

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DATE 2/10/85 BY 606278 RSC/CAC/MS
#392226

Re: Foreign Political Matters -
Cuba

[REDACTED] on December 15, 1960, advised that the Cuban Government is obtaining from Canada needed medicines, newsprint and printers ink.

[REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] purpose of bringing back this needed material to Havana, Cuba.

[REDACTED] advised that as of December 15, 1960, [REDACTED] two have already agreed to defect within the immediate future [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Brittania is always parked at Rancho Boyeros, Havana, Cuba, and is always gassed and ready to take off at a moment's notice. [REDACTED] stated that it is strictly rumor but it comes from many different sources that this Brittania is maintained at the airport in Havana in the event it is necessary for the leaders of the Revolutionary Government of Cuba to suddenly flee the country.

[redacted] stated that he has been told that [redacted] recently took two million dollars out of Cuba for deposit in a bank in Mexico City. [redacted]

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Re: Foreign Political Matters - Cuba

[REDACTED]

Concerning the July 26th Movement it is noted that Fidel Castro, present Prime Minister of Cuba, on July 26, 1953 led an unsuccessful attack against the Moncada Barracks, Santiago de Cuba, whence Castro's organization took its name.

Concerning [REDACTED] mentioned above, it is to be noted that [REDACTED]

Concerning [REDACTED] it is noted that [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

New York, New York

22 DEC 1960

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DATE 2/19/05 BY 60602 JRM/CAH/SW

#392226

Re: Foreign Political Matters,
Cuba

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[REDACTED] mentioned in the referenced memorandum
is an informant whose reliability has not yet been
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-429200)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-136078)

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DATE 1/2/85 BY AUC 60290 BLS/CAJ/HW
#372116

SUBJECT: PROVISIONAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE
FOR A MARXIST-LENINIST CP
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ReBuairtel, 12/9/60.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight copies each
of a letterhead memo and evaluation memo, and one copy
for each of the below listed offices, dated and captioned
as above, containing info regarding [REDACTED]

- ④ - Bureau (100-429200) (RM) (Enc. 16)
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1 - Philadelphia (100-43850) (POC) (RM) (Enc. 2)
1 - Portland (100-) (POC) (AMRM) (Enc. 2)
1 - San Francisco (100-44275) (POC) (AMRM) (Enc. 2)
1 - NY [REDACTED] (INV.) (413)
1 - NY [REDACTED] (INV.) (413)
1 - NY 109-112 (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS-CUBA) (31)
1 - NY 100-86624 (CP, USA - INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS) (415)
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Special Agent in Charge

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[REDACTED]

The info is furnished to the Bureau for whatever action is deemed necessary and to the interested offices by reason of the POC activity in their area or anticipated POC activity.

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Complete dissemination of this info will be made upon receipt of authenticated informant report.

This letterhead memo is classified "Confidential" because info attributed to informants could reasonably result in their identification and compromise the future effectiveness thereof.

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**Provisional Organizing Committee
for a Marxist-Leninist Communist Party**

PROVISIONAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE FOR A
MARXIST-LENINIST COMMUNIST PARTY (POC);
also known as Provisional Organizing Committee
for the Reconstitution of a Marxist-Leninist
Party; Provisional Committee for the
Reconstitution of the Marxist-Leninist
Communist Party; Provisional Committee to
Reconstitute the Communist Party, USA

The September, 1958, issue of "The Marxist-Leninist Vanguard," which is self identified as being published by the "Provisional Organizing Committee for a Marxist-Leninist Communist Party," contains an article on page 1 entitled "Communist Conference" which discloses that a conference was held in New York City, August 16 and 17, 1958, "to guarantee the survival of Marxism-Leninism in the USA." At this conference a call was issued for the formation of a "Provisional Organizing Committee for the Reconstitution of a Marxist-Leninist Party."

In the same issue of "The Marxist-Leninist Vanguard" there is contained "A Declaration" which reads in part:

"Therefore, we of the Marxist-Leninist caucus of the old Party, having met in a national conference on August 16th - 17th, 1958, have constituted ourselves as a Provisional Committee for the Reconstitution of the Marxist-Leninist Communist Party."

The October, 1958, issue of "The Marxist-Leninist Vanguard" on page 1 contains an article entitled, "5 Questions" which stated, "our aim is to forge ahead in our movement, and later, join in a constitutional convention with any other movement which is fighting for the creation of a genuine Communist vanguard party."

On May 3, 1960, a confidential source advised that the POC continues to function as an organization. It has active groups in New York, New York; Chicago, Illinois; Cleveland, Ohio; and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The organization is also known as the Provisional Committee to Reconstitute the Communist Party, USA.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 100-429200

New York, New York
December 16, 1960

Title	Provisional Organizing Committee for a Marxist- Leninist Communist Party
Reference	New York memorandum dated and captioned as above.

All sources used in referenced communication
have furnished reliable information in the past.

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DATE 2/10/92 BY 60401 GBC/KNL/SW
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (109-12-211)
FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (109-107)
SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS-DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
INTERNAL SECURITY-DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Transmitted herewith are 14 copies of memoranda concerning captioned matter, as well as 14 copies of an informant evaluation memorandum. Also one copy of each memoranda is being designated for the Miami, San Juan and Washington Field Offices for information purposes.

subject of Bufile [redacted] is [redacted] and who was interviewed on 12/15/60 by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] in Room 615, of the Roger Williams Hotel, 28 East 31st Street, NYC. (u)

- 8 Bureau (109-12-211) (Encls. 28) (RM)
1-109-12-228 (FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS-VENEZUELA)
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1-109-584 (ANTI-FIDEL CASTRO ACTIVITIES) (u)
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Abbes knew that in event of this invasion, it would be necessary for the Dominican Republic to have an organization which would fight to the death in behalf of the Dominican Republic, as Abbes did not completely trust the Dominican Army. Abbes' idea was to have a force of mercenaries of nationalities other than Dominican, to fight against these invaders, as it was known that most of the invaders who would come would be Dominicans, and due to the fact that many of these Dominican exiles would have friends or relatives in the Dominican Army, the Dominican Army would perhaps hesitate in killing their fellow countrymen or perhaps a relative of theirs. Abbes' idea was not to have any Latin Americans in the Legion as he felt it would be easy for an opposition group or an enemy of the Dominican Republic to infiltrate the Legion if too many Latin Americans were used.

This idea of Abbes was presented to Generalissimo Trujillo by Abbes who approved the idea and also made available funds and facilities for training and equipment.

[REDACTED] stated that during the first part of 1959, recruiting stations were set up in Spain, and all those interested were offered \$60.00 per month for "working" in the Dominican Republic, and all had to sign contracts for a two-year period. At the same time, General Arturo Espaillat went to Europe and the Middle East to contract Greeks and other nationalities from the Middle East area. Also, at the same time, another Dominican representative, whose identity is unknown to [REDACTED] was sent to Yugoslavia in an effort to obtain war veterans from that country.

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Also, many of the members of the Foreign Legion were recruited through the Dominican Consulates throughout the world and veterans of the French Foreign Legion were recruited through the French Consulate. Arabs were also recruited during this same period of time. All of these individuals were offered \$60.00 per month to "work" and all signed labor contracts of two years.

Transportation for these individuals from wherever they originated to the Dominican Republic was paid for by the Dominican Government. During the early part of 1959, they started to drift in in small groups and many came by a French ship to Martinique and then were flown by Dominican Airline planes to the Dominican Republic. A group of Spaniards came on the French ship Antilles which regularly travels from Southampton, England, Vigo, Spain, San Juan, Puerto Rico and the Dominican Republic. [REDACTED] stated this ship has since discontinued its stop at the Dominican Republic.

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Also, during the first part of 1959, a group of approximately 200 Spaniards arrived on the Spanish ship Begona which was chartered for this purpose by the Dominican Government. One of the officers aboard this ship stated that when the ship stopped in the Canary Islands, the men were not permitted to go ashore because a man, presumed to be a Dominican exile at dockside, had told the Spaniards that they were going to fight for Trujillo and not work as they thought. This officer from the Begona stated it was then necessary for armed guards to be put on the ship in order to keep the Spaniards aboard ship.

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During May of 1959, approximately two hundred additional men arrived in the Dominican Republic. These men consisted of individuals of the Middle Eastern nationality group, the majority being Greeks. These individuals arrived by special planes which landed at night at the Ciudad Trujillo Airport.

All these men were assembled at Las Calderas Naval Base where there were already many Cubans being trained for an anti-Castro invasion. [REDACTED] stated that during the first part of 1959, an organization called the Anti-Communist Foreign Legion was formed which consisted only of Dominicans and was used specifically for the purpose of being a cover-up organization for the true Foreign Legion. In March of 1959, the Dominican newspapers announced the formation of this Anti-Communist Foreign Legion and stated that the Legion consisted of twenty-five thousand men, each armed with a submachine gun and all were being trained to defend the Dominican Republic. The Foreign Legion was under the command of Yugoslavian officers. [REDACTED]

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Later, during 1959, the Foreign Legion was taken from Las Calderas Naval Base to Constanza, a mountain village, where they camped at an army post which is located near Constanza. At that time the Foreign Legion consisted of approximately five hundred men. After their arrival

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at Constanza, the foreign element was dissatisfied with the food which consisted mostly of cod fish and plantains. The troops were also unhappy due to the severe cold weather which they have at Constanza, due to its high location and due to the fact that the troops were not equipped with any winter clothing.

At this stage of training, after a day of training with weapons, the troops had to turn in their weapons to a central supply warehouse, and they were not permitted to keep their weapons as they were not, at this time, completely trusted by the Dominican Government.

When the June, 1959 invasion took place at Constanza Military Airport, the Dominican Army ran from the invaders and some of the officers were later shot for cowardice in face of the enemy and some are still presently in prison because of this. The Foreign Legion was then sent after the invaders and many of the legionnaires, mostly Spaniards, were either killed or wounded, and many are still in the hospitals within the Dominican Republic where they are being treated for wounds received.

After the invasion was repelled and all elements of the invasion were captured, the Foreign Legion was returned to Las Calderas Naval Base.

During the latter part of 1959, the Legion was taken back to Constanza for training where they were issued weapons and which they were allowed to keep in their possession. The food situation was not improved at this

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time and the legionnaires revolted, however, the Legion was immediately disarmed by elements of the Dominican Army, and approximately twenty members of the Foreign Legion took to the hills with Dominican Army units after them. These legionnaires were attempting to cross into Haiti but were captured after a few skirmishes with the Dominican Army and returned to Ciudad Trujillo. The ones that were returned were then placed in front of a firing squad and then executed. At the same time more than two hundred of the legionnaires involved in the revolt were taken to La Victoria Prison, Ciudad Trujillo, where they were thrown naked in the cells. The majority of these prisoners were Spaniards along with some Germans and Greeks. [REDACTED] stated that several notes were smuggled out of La Victoria Prison from these individuals with the help of the Dominican underground. One note from a Spaniard managed to reach the Spanish Embassy in Ciudad Trujillo and a short time later, notes of protest were received by the Dominican Government from the Franco Government. [REDACTED] stated that the Spanish press had published the note which was smuggled out of the building to Spain and Franco was very much upset over this matter, as a result of pressures by Franco, many legionnaires were then returned to Spain. The Legion was then transferred back to Las Calderas Naval Base, and at this time consisted of about five hundred men. [REDACTED] stated replacements and more men had been drifting into the Dominican Republic continually during the early parts of 1959.

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At this time, John Abbes suggested that the Legion force should number one thousand men, and in order to do this he suggested that the ranks be filled up with common criminals of the Dominican Republic. The Dominican

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criminals, after being convicted and sentenced to prison, were given an opportunity to choose between serving one third of their sentence as a member of the Foreign Legion or the full sentence in prison. As a result, the criminals of the Dominican Republic now make up about half of the Foreign Legion.

In March of 1960, all the Cubans were taken out of the Legion because of an agreement and non-aggression pact that was being made with Fidel Castro.

The Legion, at this time, is bivouacked in an area near Constanza and are kept on a twenty-four hour alert basis, and their training continues every day. At the time of the General Castro Leon invasion attempt in Venezuela, units of the Foreign Legion were taken to Las Calderas Naval Base for preparation to load on landing craft to invade Venezuela and join the forces of General Castro Leon. [REDACTED] stated that the Legion was also placed on alert a few days prior to the assassination attempt on Romulo Betancourt, President of Venezuela, in anticipation of invading Venezuela. [REDACTED]

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When Hector Bienvenido Trujillo Molina renounced the Dominican presidency and gave the Presidency to Joaquin Balaguer, units of the Foreign Legion, five hundred strong, were taken to Ciudad Trujillo to a naval base called Feria de La Paz in event of any civil uprisings.

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In August of 1960, there were rumors that the internal situation within the Dominican Republic was badly deteriorating and [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] were called to Ciudad Trujillo to the Presidential Palace. [REDACTED] was later heard to state that all Commanders were given direct orders from Trujillo, that in case of a revolution, the Legion would advance from Constanza to the Ciudad Trujillo laying waste everything in its path and killing everyone in between.

The Legion presently consists of one thousand well-trained and equipped men. They wear camouflaged uniforms, the type worn by the United States Marines during World War II. [REDACTED] described the Foreign Legion as being a well-trained force in mountain and jungle warfare, and the Legion is considered a powerful force that can move in a few hours notice against either internal or external enemies of Trujillo.

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The Foreign Legion is equipped with European made arms for the most part. They have Fal Belgium made automatic rifles, foreign made submachine guns, World War II German 88 anti tank guns, 40, 60, 81 and 4.2mm mortars, fragmentation hand grenades, United States type, but manufactured in the Dominican Republic. The Legion also

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has some San Cristobol carbines. In the line of heavy equipment, they have 105mm mountain-type Howitzers and one battalion of the Legion is equipped with these guns. The Legion has a foreign made type bazookas. [redacted] have several scout tank cars, American made, which are equipped with 50 and 30 calibre machine guns. [redacted] several brand new large French made tanks equipped with 76mm guns and 30 and 50 calibre machine guns. He pointed out that the tanks and the scout tank cars were actually the property of the Dominican Army and were operated by Dominican Army personnel, but are assigned to the Foreign Legion.

[redacted] stated that in the line of aircraft, the Legion has several planes among which are four P-51 mustangs and one United States Navy A76, which are flown by British and Japanese war veteran pilots and are maintained by German technicians. [redacted] stated that these planes are part of the Dominican Air Force but are assigned for the use of the Foreign Legion. [redacted] stated that the Legion organizational table is basically the same as the United States Army. He stated at the present time, they have nine men to a squad, four squads to a platoon, four platoons to a company and four companies to a battalion.

[redacted] stated that while the Cubans were members of the Foreign Legion, they were receiving \$25.00 per month, and that the other members were not receiving the \$60.00 per month as promised but received only \$40.00 per month.

[redacted] stated that the legionnaires are still very unhappy with the food which they receive, and many of the foreign members of this organization would desert for a good meal.

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██████████ stated that he has no knowledge that any United States citizens are members of the Foreign Legion.

In the opinion of ██████████ the Foreign Legion is always there, as a powerful weapon of Trujillo and will be used unhesitantly by Trujillo, where he feels it will be to his advantage. ██████████ stated that it could be used against Cuba if the situation so warranted or against Venezuela and Betancourt or any other enemy of Trujillo.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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New York, New York
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Enclosed herewith are nine copies of a
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The information reported was furnished by
Dr. EMILIO FLORENCIO MENENDEZ Y MENENDEZ to SA [REDACTED] *b7C*
on December 23, 1960.

One copy of the letterhead memorandum is
being furnished locally to United States Immigration
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RE: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

**Curtailment of Judicial Trial and Review
Authority**

On December 20, 1960, [REDACTED] b7c
United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, Miami,
advised that EMILIO MENENDEZ, Chief Justice of the Supreme
Court of Cuba, had arrived in Miami on that date aboard
Pan American Airways Flight 422, from Havana, and had
defected.

DR.
On December 23, 1960, former Chief Justice
MENENDEZ advised that his full name is EMILIO FLORENCIO
MENENDEZ Y MENENDEZ, he is a Doctor of Law, and stated that
he served on the Court of Appeals in Cuba from May, 1934
until 1949. In 1949 he was promoted to the Supreme Court
and from January, 1959, he served as Chief Justice of
the Supreme Court. He was born in Havana, Cuba, on June
1, 1903.

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He stated that he had submitted his resignation
to President OSVALDO DORTICOS, president of Cuba, in
November, 1960, but the same was not accepted. He felt
that his arrest might occur at any moment and on
November 13, 1960, he was accepted as a political refugee
by the Argentine Embassy in Havana. He subsequently was
accompanied by the Argentine Ambassador to the airport
at Havana, and allowed to depart under safe conduct
with a transit visa for Argentina, but upon arrival in the

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United States, he requested political asylum. He stated he is presently residing at 30 Southwest 59th Avenue, Miami.

Dr. MENENDEZ stated he had resigned inasmuch as he no longer had any judicial authority or prestige, and there is actually no need for a Court under the present Cuban system of government.

Dr. MENENDEZ stated that since 1909, judges are prohibited from engaging in any kind of political activity other than voting. He felt that the 1940 Constitution of Cuba was very liberal, well written, provided for an ample protective bill of rights and recourse to habeas corpus. He felt that a great deal of dignity and prestige had been attached to the Supreme Court of Cuba and its Justices; he noted that he only lacked 3½ years for retirement, since retirement is provided for at age 60 and 30 years of service.

With regard to the specific moves of the CASTRO revolutionary government which encroached upon, curtailed or totally eliminated judicial authority, Dr. MENENDEZ named the following:

He pointed out that the Supreme Court in Cuba is divided into sections which are civil, criminal, administrative, labor, and sectional constitutional reviews.

The right of appeal was taken away from those sentenced before revolutionary tribunals for counter-revolutionary activities, treason, espionage or other activities considered as directed against the security of the state.

The right of settling administrative disputes was taken away and placed under an administrative officer.

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Civil matters, jurisdiction of families and other disputes related to civil and social questions were taken away from the Court and placed under the jurisdiction of an administrative officer.

The trial of [REDACTED]
recalled by Dr. MENENDEZ, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] In late 1959, he accused the CASTRO government of being Communist dominated and badly infiltrated by Communists. [REDACTED] was arrested by FIDEL CASTRO and his trial was a public spectacle before a revolutionary tribunal in which FIDEL CASTRO ranted and spewed vehement accusations for a marathon time of seven hours. Dr. MENENDEZ stated nothing that FIDEL CASTRO said would have been admissible under the strict rules of evidence, since it was all hearsay, opinion and propaganda. However, the trial before the revolutionary tribunal was constitutional because the constitution had been amended.

He stated that it was formerly necessary to call an election in the legislature in Cuba in order to amend the constitution. The CASTRO revolutionary government simply took that power away from the legislature and invested his cabinet ministers with the power to change the constitution.

He stated some of the trials and executions and confiscation of properties in Cuba were not constitutional under the Constitution of 1940, but the constitution had been amended by the Ministers so that the trials were constitutional.

He pointed to the Agrarian Reform and stated it was constitutional because it was simply incorporated into, and made a part of the Constitution. Actually, the Constitution and law of 1940 was not followed at all in the confiscation and re-distribution of properties.

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Dr. MENENDEZ pointed out that he had been in the Argentine Embassy for over a month before being allowed to depart under safe conduct. He, therefore, had no current information regarding what had happened in Cuba in the immediate past 40 days. He had no specific information concerning Russians, Czechoslovakians, Red Chinese or other foreigners in Cuba, except that there were some technicians of each of the above three nationalities in Cuba. He stated the situation in general in Cuba is extremely critical. The large imports, which formerly were a rich source of income through Customs duties, have fallen off so that they are absolutely insignificant; former big companies which paid huge taxes to the Cuban government have, of course, all been taken over by the Cuban government, and that source of income has also been eliminated; the economic situation is critical and domestic help is starving for lack of bare essentials.

Dr. MENENDEZ stated he had no opinion regarding the possible length of time the CASTRO government might be able to continue its rule in Cuba.

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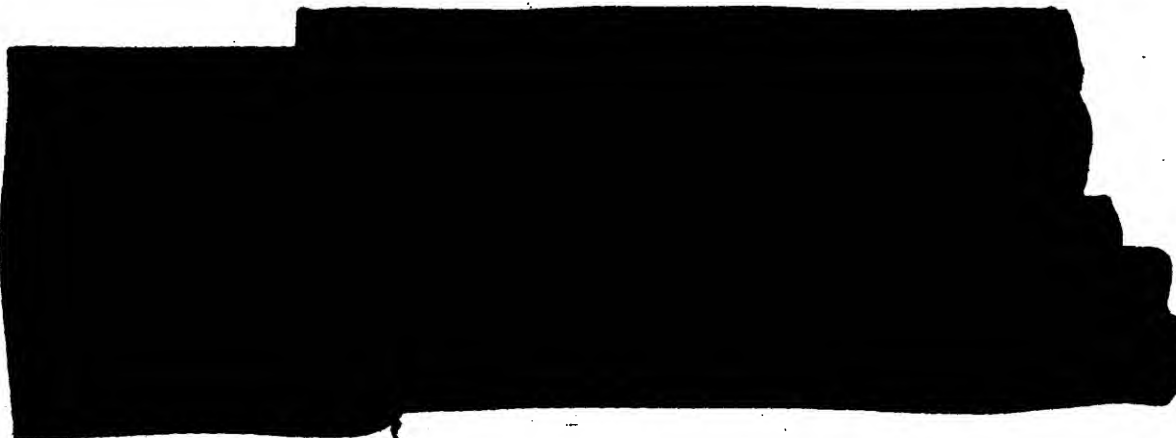
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Regarding the makeup of the Dominican Foreign Legion, [redacted] furnished the following information:

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The idea of creating a Dominican Foreign Legion was first considered in the last part of 1958, prior to the time that Castro assumed power in Cuba. The given purpose for the formation of the Legion was to have well-trained anti-Communist forces in the Caribbean in battle readiness to move against any Communist force which might be formed there. The actual purpose for the creation of the Legion was to create fear among the Caribbean and Latin American countries by showing them that Trujillo had a well-trained force to protect his interests, which force he could utilize without directly involving the Dominican Armed Forces or the Dominican Government. The Legion was actually formed around March, 1959. Recruiting offices were set up in Madrid, Spain, North Africa and Greece. The first group to arrive was a force of 120 men which arrived in the

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Dominican Republic in the early part of 1959 from Spain on the SS "Begonia". Many of them were Spaniards who had served in the French Foreign Legion and who fought in the campaigns in Indo China, including some veterans from Dienbienphu. They were told that they would be sent to the Dominican Republic as workers, and would receive a salary of \$60.00 a month. They did not know they would be required to serve in a military force. Many Greeks arrived in March of 1959 and about the same time many Arabs from Algiers and North Africa arrived, many of whom had also served in the French Foreign Legion. At that time, many Cuban exiles were recruited into the Foreign Legion. In addition to the foreigners, many Dominican common criminals were allowed to serve in the Legion rather than serve jail sentences. These were not political prisoners, but were persons accused of ordinary crimes. During the invasion of the Dominican Republic in June of 1959, by Dominican exile groups from Cuba, units of the Foreign Legion, including many Cubans, fought the invaders in the Constanza and Puerto Plata areas, and were extremely successful in containing and eventually eliminating the invasion groups. The Dominican Army was wholly ineffective during these actions. Contrary to news releases which emanated from the Dominican Republic at that time to the effect that Dominican peasants routed the invaders, it was the Legion which did the job. The Dominican peasants took no part in any action against the invaders.

At the present time, [REDACTED]

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of a Battalion of the Legion. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The Legion is equipped with 105 mm Howitzers, short-barreled Howitzers. The Legion is equipped with planes of the Dominican Air Force, tanks, mortars, all weapons necessary to institute a well-organized assault. At the present time, the Legion numbers close to one thousand men. b7c

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Regarding the dismissal of the Cubans from the Foreign Legion, [REDACTED] furnished the following information:

The Cubans had been receiving \$25.00 per month as members of the Legion. In approximately May, 1960, they were released from the Legion because of a change of attitude between the Trujillo Government and the Castro Government. Until that time the Trujillo controlled press and radio and the Government itself was violently and unalterably opposed to Castro's regime, but then changes began taking place which indicated most strongly to [REDACTED] that a non-aggression pact had been reached or was being b2
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negotiated between Castro and Trujillo through the use of intermediaries, which pact, in all probability, prohibits Castro from allowing any forces to train in Cuba for the purpose of overthrowing the Trujillo Government, and likewise, in all probability, prohibits Trujillo from allowing any forces to train in the Dominican Republic to overthrow the Cuban Government. [REDACTED] set forth many facts on which he bases his well considered opinion.

In February or March, 1960, [REDACTED] heard that [REDACTED] and his men, who had been in the Dominican Republic as Cuban exiles, were not welcome anymore in the Dominican Republic.

The Cubans who were assigned to the Foreign Legion were suddenly transferred from Constanza to the Dominican Naval Station at Las Calderas, and, after a few days at Las Calderas, they were taken to Ciudad Trujillo and placed in some low-class rooming houses. Their salary of \$25.00 a month was suspended. Subsequently, the SIM [REDACTED] to give the men \$300.00 each. They were to leave the Dominican Republic. The ones without passports were to be given Cuban passports which had been taken from the Cuban Embassy in Ciudad Trujillo when a SIM controlled group stormed the Embassy in the Middle of July, 1959. These passports were to be issued by direct orders of the SIM. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] There were great difficulties

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encountered in facilitating the departure of some of these Cubans from the Dominican Republic. Some of them did not have visas. The different Consulates were reluctant to furnish them the visas. The agent of Caribe Air was instructed to sell them tickets from Ciudad Trujillo to Havana by way of Kingston, Jamaica. This was done for the purpose of allowing them to go to Kingston where they could stay fifteen days in transit if they had in their possession a ticket to some other destination, and that gave them fifteen days in Kingston to obtain visas to other places. Naturally, they did not go to Havana. Others went to Curacao, and from there, using Puerto Rican birth certificates, went to San Juan. Others went to Haiti and from there, using Puerto Rican birth certificates, went to San Juan. Others went directly to the United States using passports which had been used by other persons previously. For example, one of them would travel to the United States using a passport, which passport he would immediately, upon his arrival in the United States, send by air mail to the Dominican Republic. The photograph on the passport would be changed and another Cuban would use the same passport. [REDACTED] recalls that an Ecuadorian passport with United States visa, was used two or three times for two or three different individuals. Others went to Panama using Panamanian passports, and subsequently entered the United States with these passports. They all used false names. All of this was done with the approval of Dominican Immigration authorities.

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The anti-Castro radio hour on Voz Dominicana was suspended, and suddenly Castro was referred to, not as

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a criminal, but as the young Prime Minister of Cuba, who is leading the Cuban people to a bright future free from Yankee imperialism. The change in attitude was felt in all sectors of Dominican life.

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Radio Caribe began to issue editorial comments flattering Castro and denouncing Yankee aggression in Cuba. One of these comments recalled by [REDACTED] was that Bruno Richard Hauptmann, kidnapper of the Lindberg baby, was innocent but was convicted by a Yankee court because he was a foreigner and a victim of Yankee imperialism.

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Many American magazine and newspaper articles defending Castro were reprinted in the Dominican press. Many of the actual American magazines containing these articles were allowed to circulate.

In June, 1960, a law was passed by the Dominican Congress allowing picketing, and immediately, the American Embassy and the American Consulate at the El Palacio Building were picketed.

[REDACTED] under SIM orders, and the pickets were paid \$5.00 a day from SIM funds.

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The Dominican press began a campaign instructing the citizens to "buy Dominican products," that the Dominican products are better and cheaper than foreign imports (meaning American imports).

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"El Caribe" and "La Nacion", the Dominican Government-controlled press, began giving a great deal of attention to Cuba in a flattering way.

[REDACTED] became pro-Castro. He is one hundred percent anti-American. During the conference of the Organization of American States at San Jose, Costa Rica, which began August 16, 1960, the Dominican press sided with Cuba in denouncing Yankee aggression against Cuba. Three men from Radio Caribe were sent to Costa Rica to cover the details of the conference. Supposedly, they were to

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transmit all details of the conference whether the details were pro or anti-Trujillo directly from Costa Rica to the Dominican people. They did transmit, by short wave, not to the Dominican people but to Radio Caribe. In Radio Caribe, their transmissions were intercepted and then men in the Radio Caribe station in Ciudad Trujillo would broadcast the details of the conference as if they were the ones in San Jose. They furnished only the good news, if any, concerning the Trujillo Government and did not furnish any details concerning the sanctions against the Dominicans.

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Caribbean. A few months prior to this, talk of this nature about Castro was the cause of the deaths of many Dominicans.

[REDACTED] read in the Dominican press that a Dominican [REDACTED] had been jailed in Cuba by the Castro regime.

The Cuban press was not attacking Trujillo as it had formerly.

Based on all of the aforementioned reasons, and others, [REDACTED] reached the conclusion that Castro and Trujillo had entered an agreement - a non-aggression pact.

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So, based on all of this information, [REDACTED]
firmly believes that there is a Castro-Trujillo agreement
in which [REDACTED]
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Regarding the possibility that the Dominican Foreign Legion may make an assault on Cuba in the near future, [REDACTED] stated that this is quite possible notwithstanding the non-aggression pact. He based this on his knowledge of the way Trujillo thinks and the way the Dominican Government operates. It all depends upon developments in the Caribbean, whether or not Trujillo will send this Legion against Cuba. If Trujillo feels that Castro is losing ground, he will help destroy Castro. In this way, he will curry favor with the United States because of his assistance in destroying a common enemy. If it is for the best interests of Trujillo to send his Legion against Cuba, they will go against Cuba. If the United States offers active assistance to Cuban exiles, Trujillo will send his Legion against Cuba to be on the winning side.

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UNITED STATES GOV

Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *amb*

DATE: 1-3-61

FROM : [REDACTED] *L*SUBJECT: ~~X~~RELATIONS WITH CUBA*see 1* POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA

At 8:40 p.m., this date, Radio Station WWDC broadcast a bulletin to the effect that the United States had broken off diplomatic relations with Cuba. This was the extent of the announcement and nothing further was mentioned in connection therewith.

The writer was subsequently contacted by Supervisor Sam Papich who in turn had been talking to you. He advised that you requested New York and the Washington Field Office (WFO) be advised of this information and to tell these offices to be on the alert for any reaction or development regarding this diplomatic break. *(XW)*

Night Supervisor [REDACTED] New York Office, was advised at 9 p.m. He stated that he was already in contact with ASAC Joseph Schmit and would advise him of the Bureau's instructions. SA [REDACTED] WFO, was also advised in accordance with your instructions. SA [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] Supervisor of the desk handling Cuban matters had already been alerted together with SAC Johnson. He also said that lookouts had been told of the break and to be alert for any pertinent information. *b7C*

The above information was also brought to the attention of Section Chief Sterling B. Donahoe.

ACTION:

The above is for your information and no action is necessary. *B*

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
 - 1 - Mr. Donahoe
 - 1 - Mr. Cotter
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ST Memorandum

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: 1-3-61

FROM : [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: ~~RELATIONS WITH CUBA~~

(S)
 On January 3, 1961, [REDACTED] advised Agent Papich that President Eisenhower decided this morning that diplomatic relations with Cuba will be severed sometime within the next 48 hours. [REDACTED] asked that this be handled on a need-to-know basis because he did not know how far the information had been disseminated within the Government. He explained that he gained the knowledge incidental to his responsibilities [REDACTED] b1

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- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Donahoe
- 1 - Mr. Nasca
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- 1 - Mr. Papich

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- Mr. Cotter

January 4, 1961

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FROM DIRECTOR FBI (109-12-210)

CUBAN SITUATION, INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA. AS OUTGROWTH OF BREAK
IN RELATIONS BETWEEN U. S. AND CUBA AND RECALL OF VARIOUS CUBAN
EMBASSY AND CONSULAR PERSONNEL, IT CAN BE ANTICIPATED THAT A NUMBER
OF CUBAN OFFICIALS IN THIS COUNTRY MAY SEEK ASYLUM HERE AND DEFECT
FROM CASTRO REGIME RATHER THAN RETURN TO CUBA. STATE DEPARTMENT
CLEARANCE HAS BEEN OBTAINED FOR BUREAU TO INTERVIEW ANY CUBAN
OFFICIALS WHO SEEK ASYLUM OR WHO INDICATE THEY PLAN TO DO SO.
FIELD IS AUTHORIZED TO CONDUCT SUCH INTERVIEWS ON SAC AUTHORITY IN
ORDER TO OBTAIN ANY PERTINENT INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION THEY MIGHT
HAVE, PARTICULARLY DATA BEARING ON [REDACTED]

RECIPIENT OFFICES SHOULD MAKE ARRANGEMENTS WITH [REDACTED]
TO BE ADVISED PROMPTLY OF SUCH INDIVIDUALS APPLYING TO
RADIO

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RE: CUBAN SITUATION
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INS FOR ASYLUM. IT SHOULD BE MADE CLEAR TO ALL INDIVIDUALS
INTERVIEWED IN THIS CATEGORY THAT ANY QUESTION AS TO ADJUSTMENT OF
THEIR STATUS IN U. S. SHOULD BE TAKEN UP WITH INS. BUREAU SHOULD BE
ADVISED OF ALL INTERVIEWS CONDUCTED BY AIRTEL OR TELETYPE SUMMARIZING
INTERVIEW AND THEREAFTER DETAILED RESULTS SHOULD BE FURNISHED IN
LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM, DESIGNATING NINE COPIES FOR BUREAU.

NOTE: State Department clearance for these interviews was
orally furnished to [REDACTED] by [REDACTED] of
State on 1/4/61. Teletype being addressed to all offices having
Cuban establishments in their territory. b7c

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APPROVED BY [Signature]

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI 114/ *Political Matters*
FROM SAC, NEW YORK 1 P.

CUBAN SITUATION, IS DASH CUBA. REBUTEL ONE FOUR SIXTYONE.

[REDACTED]
INS. NYC, ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THIS DATE THAT THE NYO,
FBI WILL BE TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED CONCERNING ANY CUBAN
OFFICIALS APPLYING FOR ASYLUM WHO POSSESS DIPLOMATIC PASSPORTS
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Mr. Belmont

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re "Cuban Diplomatic Detention, IS - Cuba." (inasmuch as the
information may relate to that recorded in memorandum from
[REDACTED] to Mr. Belmont, 12/31/60 in that case.

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Mr. Gutter advised.

Dissemination to [REDACTED]
Department of State, at 2:55 p.m. 1/1/61, by [REDACTED]

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TO DIRECTOR /109-112-210/ 10

FROM SAC, NEW YORK /109-112/

FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS DASH CUBA, IS DASH CUBA.

[REDACTED] ASTERISK ADVISED ONE THREE SIXTY ONE THAT ROGELIO GUILLOT, CUBAN CONSUL GENERAL, NYC, ADVISED [REDACTED] JULY TWENTY SIX, TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH CUBAN MISSION TO UN. [REDACTED] INFORMED GUILLOT THAT JULY TWENTY SIXTH WAS AT HIS COMPLETE SERVICE. STATED JULY TWENTY SIX WAS DESTROYING OR HIDING ANY AND ALL COMPROMISING MATERIAL AND WAS GIVING THIS ADVICE TO ALL MEMBERS. SPECIAL AGENTS NYO ON EVENING OF ONE THREE DASH FOUR SIXTY ONE OBTAINED SOME TRASH BEING DISPOSED OF BY JULY TWENTY SIX WHICH MATERIAL NOW BEING PROCESSED. BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF PERTINENT DATA. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] NYCPD, ADVISED THIS DATE FIFTY TO SIXTY PICKETS CARRYING BANNERS AND PLACARDS INDICATING THEY WERE MEMBERS OF FRENTE REVOLUCIONARIO DEMOCRATICO DEMONSTRATED BEFORE UN FRONT AT APPROXIMATELY TEN AM TO TWELVE THIRTY PM. DEMONSTRATORS RECOGNIZED RAUL ROA, SR. CUBAN FOREIGN MINISTER WALKING TOWARD UN AND ATTEMPTED TO ASSAULT HIM WITH SNOW AND ICE. HE APPARENTLY

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NORFOLK (105-0)

SUBJECT: CUBAN MATTERS

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Political Matters

Enclosed is newspaper clipping front page "Norfolk Ledger Dispatch" 1/4/61 captioned "FBI, Police Eye Cubans." Re paragraph 1 thereof which states Chief of Police and I conferred, this is erroneous and basis therefor not known.

On morning 1/4/61 reporter [REDACTED] of "Norfolk Ledger Dispatch" called me asking whether FBI, Norfolk, had received instructions from headquarters following break diplomatic relations with Cuba and, if so, what were nature of instructions. I told him I had no comment and that it would be inappropriate for me to either confirm or deny or further discuss this. Shortly thereafter, Norfolk Chief of Police HAROLD ANDERSON called this office, stating he had in his absence received call from this paper asking what actions, if any, his department was taking, and whether it was taking any action in concert with FBI. He was informed of the newspaper call to this office and told that no comment had been given as an answer and he said he felt that answer was appropriate for his department.

It may be that Chief ANDERSON indicated to the reporter on returning the press call that he had contacted Norfolk FBI.

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Also enclosed is article from same issue re
contact with military leaders Norfolk area as of interest.
For information.

FBI, Police Eye Cubans

NORFOLK — Norfolk Police Chief Harold Anderson and Alan Gillies, special agent in charge of Norfolk's FBI office, have conferred in the wake of the United States' break in diplomatic relations with Cuba.

Informed sources in Washington indicated, however, that there will be little beefing-up of already strong surveillance of Cuban nationals in the United States.

Both Gillies and Harold Leinbaugh, assistant to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, had "no comment" when asked if instructions to keep tabs on Cuban nationals here have been sent to the Norfolk FBI office.

An FBI spokesman in Washington said the Cuban situation "is, of course, being followed day by day, but we have not as yet issued any directives for increased surveillance." He said many Cubans in this country have been under extremely close watch for months.

"I can't comment on this," said Chief Anderson, "but we're ready to do any fetching or catching the FBI might need."

The Immigration and Naturalization Service here said five Cuban nationals now studying or working in North Carolina have requested extensions of their stays in the U.S.

Cubans with visas to the U.S. are now permitted indefinite stays here as "political refugees." The new policy was put into force by the Immigration and Naturalization Service last month, and since then only the five Cubans from North Carolina have requested extensions from the Norfolk immigration office. (The local office handles immigration matters for Virginia and North Carolina.)

"One of the men ran a supermarket in Cuba," said naturalization examiner Bryan McAdoo. "He's just biding time until he can return under a friendlier government."

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Stand Firm, Gitmo Told

By JAMES ELLIOTT

NORFOLK—The commander of the Guantanamo Naval Base has been informed to adhere fully to the treaty and agreement under which the base in Cuba is maintained by the United States.

Word reiterating the Navy's right to be at the base went to Rear Adm. Edward J. O'Donnell Tuesday night shortly after President Eisenhower announced that the nation was severing diplomatic relations with that Caribbean country, the Navy here said today.

Meanwhile, military leaders in the Tidewater area seemed to agree today that the Cuban base is in no danger of imminent attack. However, naval leaders here were taking a calm, watchful approach to the situation.

The Navy operates the base under an agreement written in perpetuity in 1903. It also provides that the Navy will do such things as return fugitives from Cuban justice and allow free passage of ships carrying out trade with Cuba, among other things.

While almost everyone in the naval community was discussing the Cuban situation, there appeared to be no undue excitement at any of the headquarters here, including those of Adm. Robert L. Dennison, Atlantic Fleet commander, Vice Adm. John McN.

Taylor, the Amphibious Force Commander, or Lt. Gen. Joseph C. Burger, commanding general of the Atlantic Fleet Marine Force.

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An Atlantic Fleet spokesman reiterated that there are "no plans" to withdraw immediately any of the approximately 2,400 dependents at the Naval Base there.

At the same time, he said, reports from the base indicated that there was no special alert and that all was "calm." He said the ports indicated, however, that the forces at Guantanamo were prepared "for any emergency."

In addition to the dependents, there are approximately 3,300 military personnel, an estimated 600 U.S. civilian personnel and their dependents and several hundred Cubans who live on the base. Food and water supplies at the base were considered in excellent shape, the spokesman said. There have been fears that Castro might shut off the water, which is supplied the base from a source outside the gates.

The Navy has had an amphibious unit, with Marines embarked, in the Caribbean for some time. The five-ship force is Amphibious Squadron Eight, commanded by Capt. J. S. C. Gabbert. His flag-ship is the USS Cambria.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341652)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-78633)
SUBJECT: ISIDORE GIBBY NEEDLEMAN
IS-R; ISA OF 1950

ReNYairtel 12/21/60, concerning contemplated trip to Cuba by NEEDLEMAN, [REDACTED].

During evening of 1/4/61, SAs [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] observed NEEDLEMAN, [REDACTED] arriving at Idlewild International Airport, NYC, via Cubana Airlines, Flight 998. It was noted that NEEDLEMAN, who is extremely lame and customarily walks with a heavy cane, did not have the cane in his possession on arrival or while being processed through US Customs at the airport. b7c

Later in the evening [REDACTED] learned that NEEDLEMAN attended a Presidential reception in Havana, Cuba, the night of 1/3/61, and met President BONIFICOS as well as FIDEL CASTRO. CASTRO liked NEEDLEMAN's cane, which was described as the one with the "carved fist", and NEEDLEMAN presented it to CASTRO "with love". b2

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: January 4, 1961

FROM :

SUBJECT: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - CUBA
INTERNAL SECURITY - CUBA

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The above information was furnished telephonically to [REDACTED] State Department.

It is noted that the 7:00 a.m. news program on Radio Station WTOP reported that the Cubans had delivered a note to the American Embassy in Havana acknowledging the breaking off of relations between Cuba and the US and designating Czechoslovakia to handle Cuban affairs in the US.

ACTION: For Information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : A. H. Belmont

DATE: January 4, 1961

FROM : S. B. Donahoe

SUBJECT: CUBAN SITUATION

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Break in diplomatic relations between U. S. and Cuba will not substantially affect our intensified coverage of Cuban activities in this country. In fact, by SAC Letter 60-54 dated 11/22/60 we called field's attention to possibility of break in U. S. - Cuban relations and made provisions for inclusion of pro-Castro individuals on Security Index, where warranted by facts, as well as tabbing of "pro-Cuban" subjects already listed on Security Index. We have already added a number of such individuals to Security Index, and preliminary estimates indicate that approximately 75 individuals will be added all told. Field has already been instructed to expedite this project and we are following closely to see that it is completed as rapidly as possible.

At this time we have about 780 pending Cuban investigative matters. A great majority of these, some 600, involve alleged Cuban intelligence agents, pro-Castro adherents, and leaders and members of such pro-Castro groups as July 26 Movement and Fair Play for Cuba Committee. We will continue to press these cases vigorously and we will be alert to possibility Castro regime may seek to direct its intelligence and propaganda activities in U. S. through such groups as July 26 Movement. Heretofore, Cuban Embassy in Washington, D. C., and Cuban Consulates at Miami and New York City have been focus for such activities.

New York and Washington Field have been alerted to promptly report pertinent developments concerning U. S. - Cuban break and, in fact, Washington Field has already furnished considerable information along this line (including fact that Czechoslovakian Embassy will represent Cuba in U. S.) which has been disseminated to State, Department, and other interested agencies. This matter will continue to be closely followed.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-341632)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-78633)

SUBJECT: IRIDONE GIBBY HENDELMAN
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ReNYairtel, 1/3/61, re return of HENDELMAN and his family from visit to Cuba.

Attached hereto are 8 copies of a letterhead memorandum setting forth observations by HENDELMAN on miscellaneous phases of his visit to Cuba.

This information was obtained by [REDACTED] on 1/4/61.

The following sources were used in the characterization of HENDELMAN: [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED].

The memorandum has been classified "Confidential" inasmuch as it contains information furnished by extremely sensitive sources.

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For information of Savannah, Mobile, Chicago and Norfolk, Butel 1/4/61 captioned as above advised other offices that State Department clearance had been secured for FBI to interview any Cuban officials who seek asylum in U. S. or who indicate they plan to do so. Butel 1/4/61 authorized field to conduct such interviews on SAC authority in order to obtain any pertinent intelligence information the Cuban defectors might have, particularly information bearing on Cuban intelligence activities in U. S. Butel 1/4/61 further instructed that field should make arrangements with INS locally to be advised of Cuban officials applying to INS for asylum, and that individuals in this category interviewed by Bureau should be advised to take up any question as to adjustment of status in

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- 1 - Miami
- 1 - Tampa
- 1 - Philadelphia
- 1 - Boston
- 1 - Los Angeles
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U. S. with INS. Field is further instructed to advise Bureau by airtel or teletype of any such interviews conducted and thereafter to furnish detailed results in letterhead memorandum form with 9 copies for Bureau.

Recipient offices should be certain that pertinent information which comes to their attention concerning defection or contemplated defection of Cuban officials is promptly furnished to local INS Office, although there is no objection to FBI interview of such official prior to advising INS. Communications to Bureau reporting such contacts with Cuban officials or advising of information indicating possible defection by Cuban official should specify that INS has been advised.

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